

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

MICHAEL D. MATTHEWS,

Petitioner,

v.

STATE OF WASHINGTON,

Respondent.

Case No. C05-5670RBL

ORDER GRANTING I.F.P.  
APPLICATION

Petitioner's application for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* is **GRANTED**. Petitioner does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$5.00 filing fee.

The Clerk is directed to mail a copy of this Order to petitioner.

DATED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2005.

/s/ J. Kelley Arnold  
J. Kelley Arnold  
United States Magistrate Judge